



LARGEST IN THE CITY.

## Purely Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "notices" free any more than a merchant can lose over his counter the gift of dry goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

Artistic  
Footwear!

If you will take a peep into our shoe window you will see that we make our promise good when we said our shoes will be as good as our clothing. We are now prepared to show you

The Best Line of  
MEN'S

## SHOES

## In the State!

Every pair we sell you WE WARRANT to wear well. If they don't we give you another pair.

Next week the Maysville Fair, under its new management, will be in order. We will try to make it as pleasant for visitors as we know how. We always had a weakness for treating fair visitors fair.

Come and see us; we will take care of your parcels, packages, etc.

## Incidental.

If you so desire we will show you the prettiest line of

## Clothing,

## Shirts,

## Hats,

## Shoes

in the country. Our prices—well, see the goods! The prices are all right.

HECHINGER & CO.  
LEADERS IN FINE  
CLOTHING AND SHOES.

## Tam O'Shanter's.

Just received, new invoice of above stylish head-gear for ladies and children, all the latest designs, ranging in price from 19c. to \$1.

## New Plaid Ribbons.

New Roman Stripe Ribbons, the fad for neck and sashes.

## Remnants.

We have marked all Remnants in every department at one-half to one-fourth regular prices. See them before the best is picked over.

## Special--Stamped Linen.

Fifty dozen Stamped Linen Dollies, from six inches to twenty-four inches, at 1c, 2c, 5c, 10c, 12c, 15c, and 20c. Actual value, 5c to 35c.

## Rosenau Bros. LOW PRICES.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.  
What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

**THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.**  
WIDE SWEEP—FAIR!  
Blue—RAIN or SNOW!  
With RAIN ABOVE—WILL WARMER  
GROW!  
If RAIN'S REPEATH—GOLDEN'T'VE  
WE'VE!  
Unless RAIN'S shows—no change  
we'll see!  
If the above forecasts are made for a  
period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock  
to-morrow evening.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr. Harry Barkley left Saturday for a vacation in the country.

Miss Nannie Peed is visiting the family of Mr. John Peed at Millersburg.

Mrs. Alice Barkley Wright of Dallas, Tex., and Miss Annie Walker of Lexington, Ky., are visiting their cousin, Mrs. Amanda M. Hirdes.

Miss Katie Clay Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Cox, will leave tomorrow for Cincinnati to enter Miss Nourse's School for Girls.

Mrs. Essie Hutchins is home again, after a visit to Miss Darlington at West Union, O., followed by a visit at Winchester, O., to Miss Fenton.

Mrs. Hiram A. Tolle, accompanied by her intelligent little granddaughter Miss Bessie Kendrick, left on the L. and N. this morning to spend a month or two with friends and relatives at Louisville.

Hal C. Corran, Superintendent of the Floral Hall, is the busiest man in five counties.

Colonel Frank H. Clark sold to Dan Mitchell of Carlisle his fine roan horse for \$175.

W. A. Walton of this county last week bought 800 ewes from G. E. Black of Madison county.

In Cincinnati Mrs. Ruth H. Nicholson has sued William T. Nicholson for divorce. They were married in Aberdeen in 1890.

Miss Wolstein disappeared from Ironton a few days ago, and a vigorous search of the surrounding country has failed to locate her.

Mrs. L. V. Davis is now ready to receive her friends in her new store in Kackley's Building, next door to George Cox & Son.

Mr. Everett Brightman, who has been here the past winter and summer buying hogs, and who has in that time paid our farmers about \$70,000 in cash, leaves today for his home at Fall River, Mass.

The Republicans and Gold Democrats of Fayette county have "fused," and among their nominees is Jack Sheehan for Jailer. There's a man for everybody to vote for. Jack Sheehan is one of the cleverest men in all Bluegrassdom, and he will make a Jailer that everybody may be proud of. He was elected once, but the "ring" counted him out. That game will not work this time, however. Go on, Jack! Tom Landon will come up and try your men when you assume charge of the county hotel.

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Maud Miller.

Maud Miller, in the summer's heat, baked the meadow thick with wheat. The Judge rode slowly down the lane, smoothing his horse's chestnut mane. "With wheat at a dollar per," said he, "this maid is about the size for me." Then he smiled at her and she blushed at him. And over the meadow fence he climbed. "Will you marry me, sweet maid?" he said. And she told him yes, and they were wed. And for maidens, alas for Judge. For an old designer and wheat field drudge. Lord pity them both and pity us all. For Maud didn't own the wheat at all. And the Judge remarked when he learned the cheat. "Don't talk to me about dollar wheat!" —New York Sun.

M. C. Russell & Son sell Daisy Patent Flour.

The first Oysters of the season at Roper's New Era.

Miss Mamie Lee Wood has accepted a position with George Cox & Son.

We make a specialty of exchanging Flour for Wheat at the Old Gold Mills.

The Black Diamond Railway promoters are holding a meeting at Mt. Olivet today.

Special trains will be run by L. and N. Railroad on Thursday, Friday and Saturday from Paris for Maysville Fair, returning after close of Fair.

Born at Baltimore, on Saturday morning, to the wife of Mr. Benjamin Fox, a fine daughter. Mrs. Fox was Miss Reta Hechinger of this city, and Grandpa Dave is several feet taller than he was.

Mr. D. A. Emmett of this city has in fact "struck it" at Lima, O. Some time since he bought an interest in well at that place, and a few days ago the workmen struck a prolific vein. Mr. Emmett's many friends will join Tom Landon in congratulating him on his good fortune.

Call and let P. J. Murphy the Jeweler show you the most perfect cuttings on Diamond. Price at this time has never been equaled. Mountings that are works of art. Diamonds in every style of mounting. The prices will be an inducement even if you have not thought of purchasing.

John G. Woods, who tried to prevent the Postoffice authorities from removing him from office at Louisville and who was "set down" by the Court, has now appealed his case to President McKinley. He evidently wants to be set down on some more, for he ought to know that the President will not overturn the Court.

## THOMAS T. HANCOCK.

Death of This Old Citizen Last Evening After a Long Illness.

Mr. Thomas T. Hancock died last evening just before 8 o'clock at the home of his brother, George S. Hancock, 319 East Second street, in the 72d year of his age.

He had been in failing health for some time, and his death was not unexpected.

Mr. Hancock was born in Virginia, but came with his parents to Maysville when quite young, and most of his life was spent here.

He leaves a wife and five children—three daughters and two sons.

The funeral will occur tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence of his brother, it being in charge of Mason Lodge No. 342, under an escort from Mayville Commandery No. 10, K. T., the religious services being conducted by the Rev. J. S. Sims, Pastor of the M. E. Church, South.

Members of Mason Lodge No. 342, F. and A. M., are requested to meet at Mason Temple Tuesday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral of Brother Thomas T. Hancock. Members of sister Lodges invited.

W. G. HENKES, W. M. R. P. Jenkins, Secretary.

Members of Confidence Lodge No. 52, F. and A. M., are requested to meet with Mason Lodge No. 342, F. and A. M., for the purpose of attending the funeral of Brother Thomas T. Hancock.

SAM T. HICKMAN, W. M. George H. Martin, Secretary.

ATTENTION, SIX KNIGHTS. All members of Mayville Commandery No. 10, K. T., are requested to meet at their assembly at 2:15 p. m., Tuesday, September 21st, to attend the funeral of our frater T. T. Hancock.

E. P. BROWNING, E. C. A. H. Thompson, Rec.

## KICKERS' CORNER

If any one at any time for any reason has any cause to "kick" in any way at anything of any kind, here's the place to say his say. The door is open—write right in and help yourself, free gratis and for nothing—but don't make your "kicks" too long—it's the short, quick fellows that count—and cut. **BOB**—The name of the kicker must accompany the kick, or it'll be kicked into the waste-basket.

Oh, yes; THE LEDGER is always kicking—that is, it always kicks when there is good cause. Just look at the Fountain Place Esplanade and say if you don't think there ought to be a kick on that job.

Mr. John T. Parker, while handling a young horse at his livery stable, was caught between a shaft and a tree and painfully injured in the side and shoulder.

Lattie, aged 11, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dodson of Bernard, died yesterday morning at 11 o'clock of organic trouble. The funeral will occur tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the home of her parents, with services by the Rev. W. C. Watkins, Pastor of the Washington Christian Church, after which the remains will be brought to this city and interred in the Mayville Cemetery.

**Masonic Notice.** The annual election of officers will be held at the stated meeting of Mayville Chapter No. 9, R. A. M., this evening at 7:30 o'clock. A full attendance is desired. CLARENCE MATHEWS, H. P. R. P. Jenkins, Secretary.

**FAIR NOTES.** Some of the Attractions The Mayville Fair Offers to Patrons.

The celebrated Tuxedo Ladies' Military Band has been engaged to play during the Mayville Fair. Bands from surrounding towns have signified their intention of being present also. Old Mayville will certainly present a festive air during Fair week.

The Mayville Fair for 1897 is now in readiness for inspection and awards. There remains now nothing save the assembling of the people. As virtue is its own reward, so is faithful effort bound to have its correspondent in a satisfactory knowledge of duty well done and promises sacredly kept. What you see advertised as the attractive cards for amusement and pleasure are bona fide and real—no shams, no pretense, and as this is the final proclamation made to our readers we deem it advisable to make it as plain as English will interest so no one can possibly be fooled. The admission price is 25 cents; no extra charge whatever for the attractive features offered by the management. For four days, beginning Wednesday, September 23d, each afternoon is filled with enough already contracted-for and sure-coming features to crowd the time so as to finish before dark. The Wild West Shows, description of which has already been given, a high tower diver 80 feet up, a balloon race each day, Tuxedo Ladies' Orchestra, and a Floral Hall which is a miniature exposition indeed. These are the regular attractions for each day, in addition to which special features for the day are added. Wednesday, the first, the clay pigeon gun club amateur contest will be held, in which any person so desiring may enter by complying with the American Gun Club rules, which govern the shoot. We have mentioned these amusements to show you what you are to get for the small admission fee. Of course, the grounds will be dotted with the usual fair amusements, such as throw balls at babies, riding on the "Dutchman go-round," cane racks, soft drink sellers, peanuts, popcorn, music on all sides and all round and the dozens of other things which make fair going a pleasure. Reports from Mt. Olivet, Ewing, Dover, Minerva, Germantown, Ripley, Augusta, Manchester, Aberdeen, Portsmouth, Russellville, Flemingsburg, Vancor, Carlisle, Falmouth, Paris, Cayuga, in fact, the whole vicinity lying within a circle of 100 miles diameter send most favorable promises of great crowds to attend our fair, which leads the management to predict that old Mayville will have the greatest crowds for four days this week of any Fair yet held or assembled in our city's walls.

## Eyesight

Is of such great value that one ought to take more than ordinary precautions to guard against every possible trouble.

If you have even a remote suspicion that there is any trouble with your eyes it will be for your own best interests to have your vision tested and trouble, if any, removed.

Very simple troubles may develop serious results if not properly treated.

Ordinary failing eyesight receives our most careful attention, both as to glasses and frames.

It's just as important to have the right frame as the right glass, and from our large stock we can give you the correct thing in either Gold, Silver or Steel.

We make no charge for examinations, and if yours is a case requiring the services of an oculist we will frankly tell you so.

## BALLENGER,

Jeweler.

South Side  
Second Street.

Tobacco Insurance—John C. Everett.

If you want the very best Flour, try M. C. R.

B. C. Grigsby has been appointed Postmaster at Tollesboro.

The freshest and purest Prices of all kinds found at Ray's Postoffice Drugstore.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Plister have been entertaining a son, Montgomery Plister, Jr., at their home at Denver, Col.

Hord Loughbridge, colored, son of George Loughbridge, after an illness of some seven months of consumption, died Saturday night at the home of his father on East Fifth street. The remains were interred this morning.

The good Editor of The Flemingsburg Times-Democrat says in one column of the Lexington races. There's consistency for you!

THE LEDGER gave an account Saturday of the staid Dave Daley for cruelty to a dog. The fine and costs amounted to \$15.10. Daley jumped at the chance of serving 15 days in jail in payment, instead of plunking down the cash; but when he was searched a \$5 bill was found in his pocket. Thereupon Judge Wadsworth didn't do a thing but issue a writ of *habeas corpus* for that "dover." O Dave will get only 10 days' board at the public expense.

**A Cure for Bilious Colic.** Rescued, Steven Co., Ga.—I have been subject to attacks of bilious colic for several years. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is the only sure relief. It acts like a charm. One dose of it gives relief when all other remedies fail.—O. D. SEAR, For sale by J. Jas. Wood, Druggist.

COLONEL BALDWIN WINS.

Bourbon County Buys the Mayville and Lexington Pike for \$25,000.

The Bourbon County Court has at last purchased of Colonel W. W. Baldwin all of the Mayville and Lexington Turnpike lying in Bourbon County—about 14 miles—for the sum of \$25,000, the amount awarded by the Commissioners.

The county gives \$20,000 in deferred payments, \$10,000 to cancel 140 shares of pike stock, 100 of which she owns, and the remainder will be secured from other parties, making total cost to the county \$35,000.

This takes down the last gate in Bourbon county, making all the pikes free.

Anchor Flour is good. M. C. R.

Teeth extracted without pain. Dr. J. W. Cartmell, over Harry Taylor's. Phone 60.

**For Sale.** Home-made cream cheese. Apply to Mrs. C. C. Dugan, Springdale, Ky.

**Dollar Wheat.** Always—if treated with pure Blue Stone. Chenoweth, the Druggist, sells it! Yours truly, A. CITIZEN.

## MODEST REQUEST.

A Citizen's Call For the Mayville Band to Play in Public.

MAYSVILLE, Sept. 19th. **Editor Public Ledger.** Will you please insert in your Monday's issue a request for our celebrated band to give two or three open-air concerts during the Fair? It will be greatly enjoyed by the citizens and their visiting friends and relatives. Yours truly, A. CITIZEN.

The request is very reasonable; and knowing the liberal spirit of the Band Boys, THE LEDGER believes they will respond.

N. B.—[No Bouquets or No Bricks.] —They might occupy the Fountain Place Esplanade if they're not afraid of falling into any of the 44,444,444 holes that are in it.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, [ss.] Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the personal partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every one of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY. Subscribed to and subscribed in my presence this 8th day of December, A. D. 1896. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, Dealers.

MISSIE'S and CHILDREN'S

CHOCOLATE

HIGH SHOES.

J. HENRY PECOR.

COLORED  
Dress Goods!

Think of the array of Dress Stuffs when in the group at 75c. We're thirty styles and colorings. Two near-together sections are piled full of them—stuffs from France, Germany, England, America. Such a group of textile goodness and style at the price has been seen here before.

SOLID COLORS JAQUARDS, MATCHLESS SUITINGS, CHECKS, FANCIES, FANCY WEAVE SUITINGS.

LITTLE PRICE STUFFS

Fill another section of the Dress Goods store. American made serviceable and prettiest: 40 styles at 25c.; 30 styles at 35c. Cheviots, Bourreited Twills, Tuxedo, Vandyke Plaids, Invaluable Plaids. Another group in the same section is at 50c. An item from the 39c. group—Colored Jaquards—made in France, 40c. worth, 50c. this season, an incident that it is less here and now, but it is 39c.

THE NEW CORSETS. Low bust, short hip, the only kind the '98 girl will wear. Hygienic, comfortable, stylish, tightly, lace and satin trimmed, of deep white cotton, the latest advertisement in the Corset world, \$1.

HANDKERCHIEFS. Nothing equals the seeing of the goods, though their worth and beauty tempt to columns of trying to tell linen linen, silk, multi, Swiss, Cambie. You can't miss it in any line. They are all good and low priced.

SOFA PILLOW CASES.

Never was such a mass of pillow prettiness from the 25c. designs that can be pitched about any way to the elegant gold embroidered covers, and their price is only 75c. Chenille covers, reversible, each corner tasseled, solid colored plaid borders, 75c.

## D. HUNT &amp; SON.

# Public Ledger

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

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EDITOR AND OWNER.

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Those brokerage houses which failed in New York the other day were on the wrong side of the market. They were attempting to "back" McKinley prosperity. Such failures indicate good times.

The friends of silver still insist that it is the "shortage abroad" that causes the advance of wheat, and that only. But how about the advance in cotton, corn, oats, meats, tobacco and practically every form of agricultural production? They have all been advancing while silver has gone down.

The weekless SIMPSON told the farmers of his district that if MCKINLEY were elected money would increase in value and farm products would decrease; that a condition resembling slavery would result among the people of Kansas, with wheat at 25 and corn at 10 cents per bushel. And now the Kansas farmers are doing some scornful laughing.

REPORTS from the Ohio campaign show that the Republicans are warming up to the work with promptness and vigor. Senator FORAKER, who has been in the East, reports that the Republican party will stand solidly in line and pull an enormous vote, while the Democrats are so divided among themselves as to make it impossible for them to muster even a respectable minority.

The C. and O. is building a "spur" just West of the Station in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Frazee will soon remove to Flemingsburg to reside. Sunday was the thirty-fourth anniversary of the battle of Chickamauga. The Confederate force actually engaged was 50,000; Union forces about 50,000; total Union loss 15,551; total Confederate loss 17,250.

Down at Henderson OConnell, a thirteen-year-old boy, swam the Ohio river Sunday evening in twenty-seven minutes. Phaw! That's nothing. We've got a twelve-year-old boy up here that can wade in twenty-six minutes. Mr. Joseph Easton, who has been Assistant Secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., has resigned to attend Theological School in Indiana. This will be Mr. Easton's second term. After one more he will be ordained to the Ministry of the M. E. Church.

F. E. Janowitz, formerly a railroad agent, got into a row with a stock gambling concern in Cincinnati. Janowitz had been gambling in margins, and claims that the other gamblers outgambled him, and invited them to pull off their coats and gambol with him on the green. They offered him \$500, claiming that was all due him, but he wanted \$750.

R. L. Hardiman, the Lexington cyclist who will probably be given first prize in the Lexington-Leonington road race by the Arbitration Committee, has been refused the privilege of support the Government, prevent the issue of interest-bearing bonds, protect American labor and maintain the National credit.

Fourth—We are opposed to a system of Civil Service that builds up an official class with practically a life tenure in almost all branches of the public service, and we demand that the Civil Service Law be modified so as to limit the term of appointment to four years, with the privilege of reappointment or promotion, subject to such restrictions as will secure competent officials and give to every section of the country its proper proportion of them.

Fifth—We heartily sympathize with the struggling people of Cuba in their efforts to secure liberty and independence.

Sixth—That we recommend to the people the adoption of the Constitutional amendment submitted by the last Legislature, allowing all cities and towns the privilege of regulating under legislative supervision the method of levying the taxes they impose on themselves for city and town expenses.

Seventh—We favor the passage of a law that will protect the laborer of Kentucky from the competition of convict labor, and, if necessary, to accomplish said result, an amendment to the Constitution permitting such legislation.

"The best way to get rid of a bad law is to enforce it."—General Grant. Therefore THE LEDGER favors the rigid enforcement of the Civil Service Law.

The "car famine" this year should be taken up by the calamity howlers.

The Gold Democrats are howling to the line and do not care where their ships fall.

An increase of 34 per cent. in the number of employed persons in one year is very encouraging. The official reports of the trades unions of New York show that this is the year's increase in that city, and there is reason to believe that the country generally will make an equally good showing.

## KENTUCKY NEWS.

The Latest News From All Parts of the Commonwealth.

**Business Furmen Hired.**  
NICHOLASVILLE, Ky., Sept. 30.—With the exception of the store of Joplin & Co., the entire business portion of the flourishing little town of Wilmore, six miles south of this place, on the Cincinnati Southern railroad, was destroyed by fire at 1 o'clock Sunday morning. The fire originated in the roof of the store room of J. C. Bruce and is supposed to have caught from the sparks of a passing freight train. Twelve buildings were consumed. The principal houses were; J. C. Bruce, general merchandise; O. C. Carvey, drugs; T. S. Barr, hardware; H. L. McLean, drugs; John Wilder, groceries; Ware & Fenner, general merchandise; post office, and Steve Bourne, meat store. Total loss estimated at \$50,000; insurance about half.

**Two Legislators Indicted.**  
FRANKLIN, Ky., Sept. 30.—The Franklin county grand jury made a partial report and returned indictments for gaming against W. H. Stiglitz, John Hallenbeck, J. E. Stone and Albert Scott, of Louisville, and J. H. Johns, of Pulaski county, formerly of Floyd county. Stiglitz and Johns were members of the legislature, and Stiglitz is now the republican nominee in Louisville for circuit clerk. The penalty is only a small fine, but if it had been shown that the "take out" in the game was for profit, it would have been a penal offense for Hallenbeck and Stiglitz, in whose room it is alleged the game was operated.

**Cuts His Throat From Ear to Ear.**  
EHLINGER, Ky., Sept. 30.—Farmer Fritz Richter Saturday morning committed suicide. Threatened persecution by whitecaps is believed to have been the remote cause. In full view of his wife, he seized a razor and cut his throat from ear to ear. When neighbors were summoned by the woman's screams, they rushed into the house and found Richter dead in his blood.

**Inspection Only on Ovens.**  
OWENSBORO, Ky., Sept. 30.—No quarantines have been established against southern refugees, but the mayor has instructed the police to inspect all passengers from the south arriving by boat or train, and report their names to Dr. H. G. Artis, secretary of the board of health. No southern visitors have arrived, but sanitary certificates have been granted to several persons returning to their homes in the south.

**Fixed Taxes for 1899.**  
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 30.—Secretary Price, of the new Louisville-Jockey club, Sunday announced the fixed taxes for 1899. They are the Kentucky Derby \$4,000, mile and one-quarter; Clark's race \$4,000, mile and one-quarter; and the Kentucky Oaks \$1,000, mile and one-quarter. These stakes are for one-half of 1899, at present yearlings, the entries for which close on October 1. Hereafter the Louisville club will run 13 to 15 days each spring.

**Fell in Front of a Train.**  
LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 30.—Eugene Chowning, 19 years, son of W. H. Chowning, of Georgetown, was struck by an L. & N. train at Berry station, near the north of Cynthiana, and probably fatally injured. Young Chowning was standing on the platform, when the train was approaching, attempted to turn and was run over but he lost his footing and fell just as the train rolled up, and was badly crushed.

**New Trial for Rev. H. C. Morrison.**  
ST. STEPHEN, Ky., Sept. 30.—The trial of Rev. H. C. Morrison before the Circuit Court of this county, in connection here, for insubordination, ended by Bishop Wilson deciding that Morrison had the proper trial before the quarterly conference, and refused the whole matter back to that conference. This will leave Dr. Morrison suspended until the quarterly conference can try the case.

**Lost His Samples.**  
WALTON, Ky., Sept. 30.—Nathan Platt, shoe and harness maker, has filed suit against A. M. Edwards and the N. & N. Railway Co. for damages for a trunk sample which was placed too close to the railroad tracks and torn up by a passing train two years ago. Edwards was the livery man who delivered the trunk at the depot.

**Green River Drowning.**  
BOWLING GREEN, Ky., Sept. 30.—Jas. Linn, while trying to cross Green river about 14 miles below this city, was drowned. He was working on the log and nothing is known of him other than that he claimed to have a daughter attending school in Nashville.

**The Ovation Paid.**  
OWENSON, Ky., Sept. 30.—Owen paid a successful meeting. Free-for-all horse races in five days. Hackett's first, Bob Oley second, R. N. Wilson third. Time—2:47. M. S. Dack-Winsler first, Leavasa second, Hollingsworth third. Time—1:31.

**Eating Contest Postponed.**  
RICHMOND, Ky., Sept. 30.—On account of the illness of Bill Luck, one of the participants, the extensively advertised eating contest at Paint Lick has been postponed. An effort is being made to have it pulled off here.

**Not Married.**  
WILLIAMSTOWN, Ky., Sept. 30.—The published report of the marriage of John Sanders and Miss Kate Sanders at Williamstown, Ky., last Thursday, is denied by the parties most interested.

**Storekeepers and Gangsters Richmond.**  
HARRISBURG, Sept. 30.—C. L. Linney and Franklin A. Dillon have been appointed storekeepers and gangsters in the Richmond (Ky.) internal revenue service.

**A Distillery Falls.**  
CYNTHIANA, Ky., Sept. 30.—Jake Wolford, secretary of the Redmon distillery, has assigned. Assets, \$60,000; liabilities, \$95,000.

## THE SHOOTING

Of the Negro Postmaster at Hognansville, Ga.

May Entail a Great Amount of Trouble for the People of That Village.

Two Prominent Citizens Will Be Arrested—The Old Postmaster Retains His Post Office for the White People. He Will Be Prosecuted by the Government.

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 30.—The recent shooting of the Negro postmaster at Hognansville, threatens to entail no end of trouble for the people of that town. A post office inspector has finished a three-days investigation of the shooting and it was stated Sunday night that as a result of his work two of the most prominent business men in the town will be arrested this week on a charge of attempting to assassinate the postmaster. The people of the town are called upon to face a most uncomfortable state of affairs. They have never so polarized the Negro postmaster directly, the old postmaster, Hardaway, maintaining the old post office and sending for and obtaining in bulk the mail matter for all his white patrons. Their letters were mailed on one post office, the postmaster will be prosecuted for this and the letters can no longer be mailed on the trains. When this action was announced two days ago, the citizens conceived the plan of having their mail sent to the next nearest post office and carrying it themselves. They are now told that this would be in violation of the law which permits only the government to retain a post route. Feeling is high among the whites and blacks and further trouble is feared.

## FACTORIES REOPEN.

**Ending of the Coal Strike and Reduction in the Price of Fuel the Cause.**  
AKRON, O., Sept. 30.—The ending of the coal strike and the consequent reduction in the price of coal have enabled a large number of factories, which have been shut down for weeks, to once more reopen. First among them are the clay working industries, and every severe pipe factory and pottery in this vicinity, giving employment to nearly 3,000 men. There have been some complaints of a defective product which is usually maintained by these concerns has been so depleted that the shops will be enabled to run on full time next spring at least.

## EDWARD B. HOLDEN

Found Hanging From a Limb of a Tree—Was Shot?

ELMIRA, N. Y., Sept. 30.—The body of Edward B. Holden, a carpenter, was found hanging from the limb of a tree in the woods three and a half miles from this city. He hired a horse and wagon to go to Millport Saturday afternoon. The horse and wagon were found nearby. The wagon was covered with blood and was scattered all over his right arm and elbow and four on his wrist, evidently cut with a knife, but no knife could be found or enough blood was seen to connect it with the man. Holden said he had \$167 when he left home. The family surmise foul play. The body was found by a hunter, who reported it to the local police. Holden committed suicide, Holden was former vice commander of L. Hazard and G. A. R. of this city.

**Failure.**  
BENTON HARBOR, Mich., Sept. 30.—The first national bank of this city did not open for business Saturday, and the National Bank Exchange, George H. Caldwell, of Detroit, is in charge. About \$50,000 is due depositors, and it is believed that the bank is not solvent. There is a crowd of anxious depositors about the door. They attribute the failure to the embarrassment chiefly to bad loans.

**Two Men Drowned at Chicago.**  
CHICAGO, Sept. 30.—A fisherman, laborer, and Henry Blue, a fisherman, were drowned in the lake near the mouth of the Calumet river Sunday afternoon. The two men were going to a fishing party on the lake. They were found by a fisherman who was out on the lake when it was rough and the men were barely escaped. When the boat capsized she managed to grasp hold of it and hang on until rescued by the life saving crew, but the high sea swept the men away and they sank before help came.

**Schooner Founders.**  
SAULT STE MARIE, Mich., Sept. 30.—The schooner Henry A. Rice, bound from Ashland to Lake Erie ports with a cargo of iron ore in tow of the steamer "Elmer," foundered in the St. Ignace Rock, Lake Superior, in the gale of Thursday night. The crew was rescued with great difficulty by the U. S. cutter.

**The Statement is Premature.**  
LONDON, Sept. 30.—The Times Sunday morning says: The statement of the American press that the state department at Washington and the British ambassador have received instructions to reopen negotiations for a general treaty of arbitration is at least premature.

**Well-Known Posters Declared Insane.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 30.—Miss Marion Dowden, member of Ochs's guards, doing quarantine duty, was fatally shot by Henry McGonigle Saturday morning. It was an accident.

**Carist Uprising Fanned.**  
MADRID, Sept. 30.—A company of infantry has been sent to Mencia, in the province of Castellon de la Plana, as it is feared that a Carlist uprising is taking place there.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

DISTRICT AND COUNTY OFFICES.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE.

HON. WILLIAM G. DEARING of Fleming county is the Republican candidate for Circuit Judge of the Eleventh Judicial District, to be voted for on Tuesday, November 6, 1897.

**MUNICIPAL OFFICES.**  
Announcements under this heading Three Dollars—insertions in advance.

FOR MAYOR.

We are authorized to announce DUKE A. HADLEY as a candidate for Mayor of the City of Mayville at the November election, 1897, subject to the will of the people. Your support and influence respectfully solicited.

**CITY CLERK.**  
We are authorized to announce J. J. DALLON as a candidate for City Clerk at the November election, subject to the will of the people.

We are authorized to announce BEN T. COX as a candidate for Police Judge of the City of Mayville, and he earnestly solicits the support of the voters of the City of Mayville.

We are authorized to announce JOHN L. CHAMBERLAIN as a candidate for Judge of the Police Court of the City of Mayville.

We are authorized to announce A. A. WADSWORTH as a candidate for re-election as Judge of the Police Court of the City of Mayville.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE T. HUNTER as a candidate for Judge of the Police Court of the City of Mayville.

We are authorized to announce JOHN H. DONALDSON as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Mayville.

We are authorized to announce W. A. STOCKDALE as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Mayville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce M. J. DONOVAN as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Mayville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce D. P. ORT as a candidate for re-election as Chief of Police of the City of Mayville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce T. S. McDONALD as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Mayville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce ALBERT H. HUFF as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Mayville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce JAMES HANSON, Jr., as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Mayville at the November election, 1897.

**ASSESSOR.**  
We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. OLDFIELD as a candidate for Assessor at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce SIMON M. CROWLEY as a candidate for City Assessor at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce J. M. STEWART as a candidate for City Assessor at the November election, 1897.

**COUNCILMEN.**  
Second Ward.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE H. HENRIKSON as a candidate for Councilman of the Second Ward at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES HUGHES PEACE, Jr., as a candidate for re-election as Councilman of the Second Ward at the November election, 1897.

**Fourth Ward.**  
We are authorized to announce Dr. THOMAS H. SMITH as a candidate for re-election as Councilman of the Fourth Ward at the November election, 1897.

**Fifth Ward.**  
We are authorized to announce GEDDIE B. HAY as a candidate for re-election as Councilman of the Fifth Ward at the November election, 1897.

## FREE ADVERTISING.

**No Charge!** Advertisements without pay. The leading of "Help" notices, and not to exceed three lines, on an ordinary basis, free of charge. If desired to come the first time, we invite as many applications as are necessary to secure what you desire for. We wish the advertiser to be satisfied and not to depend on us for free notices.

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